

#### Megown-Moore Wedding.

At the home of the bride's parents, R. K. Megown and wife, in this city, on Monday, October 21, 1912, at 8:30 p. m. occurred the wedding of their accomplished daughter, Miss Nina, to Mr. Louis Daniel Moore, of Kirkwood, Mo.

The ceremony was pronounced by Rev. T. D. Brown, pastor of the First Baptist church of this city, in his own impressive style, in the presence of out of town relatives and friends of the bride and groom and a few relatives and near neighbors of this city, Miss Tomye Ely playing the wedding march.

Miss Rebecca Megown, sister of the bride, was maid of honor, and Mr. Frank Alger of Kirkwood, was best man. The bride was attired in charmeuse satin draped with chiffon lace, caught up with orange blossoms, tulle veil, and carried bouquet of bride's roses. Maid of honor wore a dress of white net trimmed in pink and carried pink carnations. The pallial residence was tastily decorated in color scheme of pink and white carried out in cosmos.

The bridal party left that night for Galveston, Texas, and later will be at home to their friends in Kirkwood where they will permanently reside.

Out of town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. J. C. West, Miss West, Miss Pauline Moore and Miss Stone, of Hannibal; Mrs. John R. Moore, of Kirkwood, and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. B. McElroy, Mrs. Anna Shaw, Mrs. Mary P. Moore and Master Malcolm Moore, of Rensselaer.

We would like to call attention to W. P. Doolittle's O. I. C. hog sale which takes place Oct. 31st at White Eagle Farm, 1 mile south of Woodland, Mo. This Herd of Ohio Improved Chester White hogs was established in 1901 and have always been kept healthy in every respect, went through the Cholera panic last fall without a scratch and are guaranteed to be free from disease. We would like to see every one interested in good stock, at Mr. Doolittle's Sale Oct. 31st. You will be welcome whether you intend to buy or not. Free conveyance from Station to Farm, free lunch at noon. Sale will be held under cover rain or shine. See adv. in this paper and write for catalogue which gives description of hogs and full particulars.

The Monroe H. S. Foot Ball team went to Paris Friday and there met the Paris H. S. team. The score was 14 to 7 in favor of Monroe.

#### New Books.

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gent dog who tells the story of her life.

The story is very much on the order of Black Beauty and Beautiful Joe and is a plea for kindness toward all dumb animals.

The writer undoubtedly loves animals and her strongest point is her plea for love and charity toward those weaker than we are.

No boy or girl can read this story and not look with sympathy on all living things.

Published by the Author and for sale at all booksellers or H. De F. Stewart, Box 623 Chicago. Price \$1.50.

#### Capt. Beckey's Masquerade.

By Margaret Love Sanderson.

Margery Beckwith is a poor girl who has been invited to spend the summer with wealthy friends. She hesitates at first but finally accepts and this is an account of her visit.

The experiences are varied and she thoroughly enjoys them all, especially when a riding party have to take refuge in a deserted house and she plays the ghost.

Will prove very pleasing to girls from twelve to fifteen years of age.

Published by Reilly & Britton Co., Chicago, Ill. Price 60 cents.

#### Aunt Jane's Nieces On Vacation.

By Edith Van Dyne.

Patsy, Beth and Louise go to the country with Uncle John to spend the summer. Uncle John misses his morning paper so the nieces propose to issue one. Uncle John furnishes an up-to-date outfit and the girls go to work.

The story is of their many experiences—some exciting, some humorous.

Published by The Reilly & Britton Co., Chicago, Ill. Price 60 cents.

#### Rowena's Happy Summer.

By Celia Myrover Robinson.

A little southern story of three sisters, Rowena sixteen, Sallie thirteen and Bettie ten. Their mother is dead and their father has to go to the city all week to make money to pay off debts on the old plantation. Old Aunt Dilsey has charge of the house and their father's sister and grown daughter were in every day.

Rowena becomes acquainted with a new neighbor, a little cripple and happy summer follows.

Published by Rand McNally & Co., Chicago, Ill. Price 60 cents.

Buy your Holly Brand Chocolates at Barnes Model Bakery. Adv.

## E. A. THOMPSON

### CASH STORE

## Special Sale on Cloaks and Suits.

Our business on Cloaks and Suits so far has been the greatest we ever had and to keep the pot boiling we are going to offer values you can't resist. 25 Ladies' and Misses' Cloaks, worth up to \$10, all new and latest styles, your choice for \$5.00.

Fifty Ladies' and Misses' Cloaks, worth \$12.50, \$15.00 and \$18.00, on sale at \$10. We have always given our customers the best Cloaks the money would buy, but these Cloaks positively surpass anything we or any other store around here ever sold at the price. Most of these are New Cloaks we just received today.

## Special Sale of Blankets and Comforts.

One hundred pairs full size Cotton Blankets, in gray, tan or white, only 98c pair.

Thirty-five pairs all-wool Blankets, manufacturer's samples, at less than wholesale prices, worth \$5.00 to \$7.50 pair, your choice at \$3.75 pair. We will not put these wool blankets on sale until Saturday morning, and you will have to come early as we cannot get any more to sell at this price.

Comforts, regular size, hand tied, a real bargain at only \$1.00. Silk-oline Comforts, hand tied, large size, first quality, only \$1.50.

#### Fooing the Farmers.

The standpat Republican organization never tires of attempting the same old things in the same old way. This year, as usual, the sinister adroitness of the Republican Committee is displaying itself in an effort to convince the farmer that such degree of prosperity as may be found to exist in certain sporadic cases and isolated instances in the rural districts is due solely to the Republican party. Having fooled the people before, they naturally conclude that they can do it again. But, although they may convince some Missouri farmer that the Republican party has brought the sun and rain and fertilized the soil, they will hardly succeed in convincing ALL the Missouri farmers that Hadley's scheme (endorsed by McKinley) to increase the taxes on farms and homes 300 per cent would be decidedly profitable to the farm and home owners of the State. This process of "fooing the farmer" is simply a bit of time-worn and bewhiskered impudence which would be amusing if it were not insulting. This year the Missouri farmer is guarding his home with a pitchfork. He knows that where he has made one dollar the trusts have made a thousand. The high tariff gouges him, and the single tax makes him sore. He is doing his own thinking now and the antiquated tricks of the high tariff mountebank will find no favor in Missouri in 1912.—Dem. Press Bulletin.

#### Preventive Medicine.

##### Diphtheria.

Diphtheria is caused by a germ. After the patient has recovered from diphtheria this germ may remain in the secretions of the mouth and nose for a long period of time

—a number of months—such a person is called a diphtheria carrier. When a carrier coughs the secretions of the mouth and nose containing diphtheria germs are thrown about the room or directly into the mouths of those near by. In this manner diphtheria is spread. Diphtheria is most common during the months when children are in school. Here the children come in close contact with one another and the opportunity for receiving infection from a carrier is greatest. Diphtheria carriers should be detected by a bacteriological examination of the secretions of the mouth and nose. This is more important when diphtheria is known to be present in a community.

Address questions on prevention of diseases to Preventive Medicine, University of Missouri, Columbia.

For Sale—Barred Rock Cockerels, Ringlet strain, at \$1.00 each if sold before Dec. 1.—Mrs. Mabel Morse, Route 1, Bell phone 15.

Bring your sale bills to the Democrat.

See the Queen of Criminals, the big four reel feature, Gem Saturday, Nov. 2.

Misses Fannie and May Bell were Quincy visitors last Friday.

"John," said a South Seattle grocer to his clerk, "have you watered the rum?"

"Yes, sir."

"Dampened the tobacco?"

"Yes, sir."

"Sanded the sugar?"

"Yes, sir."

"Then you may come in to pray-ers."

Have the Democrat to do that printing you need.

#### Fence Posts.

As timber is becoming scarcer every year one thing the farmers are becoming more and more interested is what is to be used for fence posts. Wire has years ago taken the place of the rail worm fence. For years the American Steel & Wire Co., has been experimenting with steel posts, knowing that good, strong durable posts must be secured. Rust was the thing which was most against steel post and after 13 years experimenting this has been overcome. In order to get to talk to a number of representative farmers at one time the American Steel & Wire Co., gave a banquet at the Maddox hotel Wednesday evening. It is needless to say that the hotel people did their part well as they have a well deserved reputation of pleasing all their patrons. The Company was represented by A. L. Wellman, manager of the post department; George McGill the traveling salesman and A. Jaeger Jr., the local agent. All are pleasant gentlemen and did all in their power to make the evening pleasant for their guests. They succeeded. After the feed Mr. Wellman told in an interesting way the history of the steel fence post and told some of the good points of the one his company sells, and everything they sell must be right. The one they are now selling is rust proof, flexible, will prevent breaking of wire in fence, is a conductor of lightning, you can burn out your fence rows, is practically everlasting and many other good points. The talk was entertaining from start to finish and very instructive.

Fresh line cigars, tobaccos, pipes, at Barnes' restaurant. Adv.

## COAL!

We have plenty of all kinds of coal coming.

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NUT COAL,  
LUMP COAL.

The Best Illinois Coal on the Market.

Monroe Coal & Grain Company.